UMASS LOWELL CENTER FOR ASIAN AMERICAN STUDIES

Southeast Asian American Studies Conference

JULY 27-29

SPECIAL EVENTS
open to the public

Thursday, July 27
7:30 PM

Decade: A Flying Orb Retrospective + Resident Alien
(film & performance art)
Flying Orb Productions
Location: Durgin Concert Hall
(35 Wilder Street, Lowell, MA)
Suggested Donation: $10 at the door (cash only please)

Friday, July 28
3:15-4:45 PM

"From Cambodian Refugee to Elected Town Councilmember With a Few Stops in Between: An Unexpected Journey"
(lecture & discussion)
Sophal Ear, Occidental College and Crescenta Valley
Town Council Member
Location: O'Leary Library, room 222
(61 Wilder Street, Lowell, MA)
Free and open to the public

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TeAda Productions
Location: Durgin Concert Hall
(35 Wilder Street, Lowell, MA)
Free & open to the public

Friday, July 28
6-9 PM

Southeast Asian American Studies Banquet
Performance by Angkor Dance Troupe
Remarks by Dr. Hai B. Pho, UMass Lowell Professor Emeritus & Founding Board Member, Indochinese Refugee Foundation
Poetry Reading by Bao Phi, Pueo Tuy, and Bryan Thao Worra
Location: Pailin City (6 Branch Street, Lowell, MA)
Tickets: adult $20/youth $10
Sponsored by Enterprise Bank

Saturday, July 29
9AM-12PM

Where We Come From: Writing Workshop
Presented by the Cambodian American Literary Arts Association (CALAA)
Location: Middlesex Community College, Federal Building, Assembly Room (50 Kearney Square, Lowell, MA)
Workshop is FREE but registration is required: https://goo.gl/84JZBF

Saturday, July 29
9AM-12PM

Immigrant Stories: Community Engagement Through Digital Storytelling
Presented by the Immigration History Research Center
Location: O'Leary Library, room 140 (61 Wilder Street, Lowell, MA)
Workshop is FREE but registration is required: https://goo.gl/rBqjSJ

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Film Showcase

THURSDAY, JULY 27

SESSION:
10:45 AM - 12:15 PM
(3 films in one session)

Burmese Refugee
Phetmixay Means Fighter
Immigrant Stories

SESSION:
1:30 - 3 PM

Vientiane in Love

SESSION:
3:15 - 4:45 PM

Lost Child: Sayon's Journey

FRIDAY, JULY 28

SESSION:
9 - 10:30 AM

Better Places: Hmong of Rhode Island a Generation Later

SESSION:
1:30 - 3 PM

Bridging the Gap of Dreams
Location: O'Leary 478

SESSION:
1:30 - 3 PM

The End / Beginning: Cambodia*

*Community Special Selection
Films are free and open to the public and in O'Leary 222 (61 Wilder Street) unless otherwise indicated.

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